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spondent of The Daily Chronicle as-
serts that a battle occurred north of
Kaichou July 12, when the Japanese
were repulsed with great loss.

HAS PORT ARTHUR FALLEN?

London, July 14.—There is published this
morning a rumor that Port Arthur has
fallen, but it is discredited and lacks con-
firmation of any sort.

The special despatches from corres-
pondents at the scene of publication in that
portion of London newspapers do not give
any confirmation of the sensational reports
of Japanese losses at Port Arthur.

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EXTRAORDINARY STORY.

The most surprising circumstance connected with the extraordinary story of a Japanese attack on Port Arthur on the night of 11, and its repulse at a cost to them of 30,000 men, is that Admiral Alexieff should have officially telegraphed to St. Petersburg a report of such a nature derived from "Japanese sources." What these sources are he does not indicate, and it is therefore impossible to judge of the degree of credibility to be attached to it. But, judging from past experiences, it is much more likely that the Japanese author of the information is a disseminator of authentic news. In its first form the story was apocryphal in the highest degree, and the amended version is only slightly less improbable. The Japanese have not hitherto been guilty of recklessly squandering their armies in such an impossible attempt as the figures indicate. Besides 30,000 troops aligned before an invested fortress occupy a considerable extent of ground, and to do so requires a large number of men, which is almost impossible, perhaps in fiction, but almost inconceivable in real warfare. In default, therefore, of confirmation from Japanese official sources it will be well to treat the report with a certain saving amount of skepticism. If the Japanese authorities desired to acquaint the nations of such a mishap, they would not have done so thru Admiral Alexieff.

Land the Japanese continue steadily to advance northward and westward, pushing the Russian forces before them. Their immediate objective is apparently Newchow. So far they do not appear to have contemplated an invasion of Manchuria, but the heights south of Selkirk were stormed and taken after a stubborn resistance. The Russians, de-scribes say, have been driven from Selkirk, where they had strongly fortified positions.

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DAVIS' CONTRACT DEBATED BUT LITTLE PROGRESS MADE

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Was Anything Corrupt in
the Matter.

DOUKHOBORS MARCH AGAIN HALF NAKED, WITHOUT FOOD

Two Hundred of Those Near
Swan River Crazed With
Religious Zeal.

Winnipeg, July 13.—(Special)—Un-
known to the public, the Doukhobors in
the neighborhood of Swan River to the
number of 200 men, women and chil-
dren, have started on a second march,
crazed with religious zeal, singing and
shouting as they wander in irregular
line over the prairies.

At his suggestion, Mr. Borden named
three members of the opposition—Messrs.
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Watch for our Big Separation Sale ad in to-morrow's papers. There is money in it for you.



75,000 BUTCHERS ON STRIKE

Continued From Page 1.

houses are out of business. They have telegraphed their patrons far and wide to cease shipments. Only 300 cattle arrived to-day, where 20,000 would have come. The ordinary exchanges. Many animals may have to be shipped back to the farms to save them.

But at the moment, pack-houses show that the supply of dressed meats on hand is sufficient to last only a few days. After that will come famine and the price of meat will go with it. Already high, the market promises to reach a point that is prohibitive to the few who look upon luxuries as necessities.

There appeared no hope of the settlement, both sides having prepared for a final fight. The demand of the employers upon the legislature was that before being submitted to a vote of the taxpayers.

Judge Morgan's report on the assessment of the beef trust, prices to the consumers, and the amount of money promised to reach a point that is prohibitive to the few who look upon luxuries as necessities.

Arbitration had been proposed by the packers and ignored. In their argument, however, the terms imposed by the men the employers said it was just to demand a wage advance and costly labor conditions at this time when the industry is toward large lines of industry is toward rejections.

Business interests aggregating \$100,000,000 are tied up here.

MEAT FAMINE NOW.

New York, July 13.—New York today faces a meat famine as serious and likely to be even more costly than the coal famine two years ago. By mid-night, almost 75,000 meat packers throughout the country and government on strike. The three main union meat cutters and hundreds of others connected with the union went out to-day.

To-day prime beef is five cents a pound lighter than it was two days ago, and it is certain that much higher before the beginning of next week as there is only a three days' supply on hand. The market is expected to drop out on strike. The three main union meat cutters and hundreds of others connected with the union went out to-day.

All dressed beef being shipped into New York was snapped up as soon as it was in the market for it is realized that by the end of next week the only supply of fresh meat in this city will be received from the independent packers here who are headed by the New York butchers, and who will kill the beef collected from the surrounding areas.

The whole movement, however, started on Monday. According to the latest news, Willie was living with some of the police authorities, and that he would be killed if he had secured Moody, another chum.

The lad was not yet old enough to travel alone, but Willie made some vague remarks about applying for a position with himself and one George Moody, another chum.

The big show moved on to another town. Willie's parents became frantic, and the telegraph began to roar, "Where is my son?"

On Saturday, Willie was away from home, but he was living with his father, Edward Terrell, president of the Flirters and Gardeners Association, in Philadelphia. E. F. Collins, secretary of the Flirters and Gardeners Association, is now chairman of the committee which has been appointed as a floral committee to have charge of the annual garden party to be held here by the New York butchers, and which will be held at the end of three days.

The small dealers of course, are attempting to deal with the condition which they have been forced to face.

The big wholesale dealers yesterday said that two days' supply in bulk before cutting at ten and a half cents a pound. Yesterday they were charging sixteen and a half cents a pound, an increase of six cents. Other meats have increased accordingly, as well as the other cuts of beef. There is no end to the increase in sight.

Other cities throughout the States are menaced by a meat famine, while meat prices soar high.

EXPECTED HIGHER PRICES.

Hamilton, July 13.—From present indications there will be a boost in packed and cured meat prices in the city in a very short time, depending on the big American strike movement. The Hamilton packing houses are working away without any sign of trouble among the men, and the salaried men are in full force, but this will not serve to keep down prices here. The American men, however, are to receive and the dispatches received to-day indicate the famine prices will rule the other side within a very short time if the strike continues.

Speaking to-day, a spokesman of the firm, a member of parliament, ex-members and others, said there would be a 10 per cent. rise in less than a week if the strike was not ended. The Canadian market about a week to follow the American lead.

The strike, however, for the increased was in case the strike continues the American houses will have to stop exports shipments to supply the local demands, and the men who have been notified of his duty as an officer of the government. This notification had taken the form of a reprimand.

Coopers' Union.

Toronto, July 13.—The American Coopers' International Union, Local 180, last night elected a strike committee to stop exports shipments to supply the local demands, and the men who have been notified of his duty as an officer of the government. This notification had taken the form of a reprimand.

Montreal Gazette: Constable Baron of the Hamilton police force was killed while attending the capture of Major John T. Quigley; recording secretary, H. Hooper; financial secretary, J. Shaw; corresponding editor, G. D. Furlong; journal reporter, J. Schmidt; D. L. Connelly, Bros. Egan, Furlong; D. L. Connelly, J. Jordan, B. Paton, L. Perreira, C. White, B. Paton, T. C. Jordan, not out.

Montreal Star: Mr. Preston had a good deal more export trade into the hands of the Canadian houses. Exporters, however, are to receive the same as the strike continues they will find that meat is meat with a vengeance.

104 APPEALS IN SECOND WARD.

Majority of No Consequence—Some Reductions Were Made.

The court of revision yesterday set all day hearing appeals against the assessment returns for Ward 2. There were 104 appeals in all, but the majority were of no importance being simply for changes in assessment and improvements.

Clouds had been hanging over the city for some weeks past. Mr. Penney, the assessor, had been in touch with the council and word from his office stated that he had got the appointment. The public was about the same that paid the chief clerk.

The Extend the Time. (Toronto, July 13.)—Sir William Minto, in his letter to the minister of finance, requested further the time for allowing letter carriers to avail themselves of the new rate.

ONTARIO HEALTH OFFICERS.

Charity Bazaar. A number of ladies and children intend to have a bazaar at the Ontario Shik Church on August 10 in aid of the Incurable Shik Church Hospital. They are soliciting donations of articles for the bazaar, services from the charitable public, and donations should be sent to Mrs. L. A. Conrad, 578 Church-street, or to the Ontario Health Officers' Association, 100 Yonge-street, Toronto.

MORGAN'S REPORT TO-DAY WILL NOT BE STARTLING

Jeffery & Purvis Underwear & Hosiery

One Recommendation is That More Attention Be Paid to the Returns of Deaths.

The report of Judge Morgan on the inquiry into the conduct of the civic assessment department has been completed, and will be laid before council on July 16 by the mayor. The report does not contain any startling revelations, and it is not expected to create any great interest, as its contents have already been outlined in The World, and there is very little variation from the facts.

Commissioner Fleming is expected to issue from all blame for the chief officer put forward by the Dennis and is content with the findings initiated in the office.

There is nothing said in mitigation of the action of Ald. Woods in placing the names on the voters' lists.

The report contains about 800 words, and is also recommended for a review of the evidence. There are but few recommendations as to the improvement of the work of the assessment department.

It is advised that the assessment notices should contain a request for information with regard to the owner of the property in case the assessors have made any transfer of their interest.

Each voter is also recommended to return to the city clerk's office.

The report will be referred to the legislative committee for consideration, and no action will likely be taken during the vacation.

IN COUNCIL TO-DAY.

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However, the exact proportion of good and bad in each party is not in question. Most reforms come from small beginnings. They are not resisted, or regarded with indifference, but by very large class of persons who regard any new idea with suspicion and dislike, and who look to dwell on the achievements of the past rather than to take part in the movement of the day. Gradually these are won over; the despised agitation becomes a live issue; then the reform is accomplished and finally everybody wonders how the old state of affairs could have been tolerated.

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The somewhat startling notion is now advanced that Japan, instead of adopting Christianity, intends to "rejuvenate" Asia with agnosticism. A Japanese professor says that his people will carry the gospel of rational ethics to the millions of Asia and ultimately to the whole world. "We shall go to China," says the professor, complacently, "with an harmonious blending of the best precepts in Buddhism, Confucianism, Brahminism, Herbert Spencer, Christianity and other systems of thought, and we shall, I think have little trouble in awakening the naturally agnostic mind of the Chinese to the enlightenment of modern free thought. What the far east needs is a religion as modern as machinery. We have had more gods than were good for us. We believe that a cosmopolitan gospel, tolerating the existence but minimizing the potency of prayers, offerings, shrines, temples, churches, litanies and gods, and dwelling more on the time that now is and the relation of man to man, will create a wonderful reformation in Asia." We wonder if we believe that it has been assigned to Japan to lead the world in this new intellectual era in the progress of mankind.

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priceless gems. There is no clue to the
thieves.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the
Signature of
R. H. Fletcher

a man as chief engineer as a road 100
miles long. This was the time for locating
points out of the valuations paid were
less than on construction work.

JAMES McDougall, engineer for York
County, had not applied for a position,
but was anxious to return. Mr. Paterson
had written to him, however, that the
position of Canadian engineer was incor-
rect. He went over a list of competent
men and spoke especially of the merit
of Mr. Hobson.

Had to Go to the U.S.

John A. Paterson, K.C.E., produced cor-
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A. Paterson, C.E., with the railway of
Owing to his health he had been offered
a position his brother had been offered
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Attorney-General Upheld in Proceedings Against Recreation Club—Time to Wind Up Given.

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CITY GRANTS \$1000

Toward Schools Reception-Room Garden Scheme Killed.

Mayor Urquhart thought that \$1000 would be too much to spend on the schools reception, when the controllers talked the matter over yesterday. Ald. Fleming said the city had gotten ten times that amount in advertising. The grant passed.

The roof garden scheme was killed. A bylaw for \$50,000 in freight she is only still unenacted.

A bylaw to provide for the city's share of the cost of a subway on Lakeside Avenue was recommended.

The project, there was given permission to erect a porch over the sidewalk.

Park Commissioner Chambers withdrew the appointment of his son as his assistant.

Commissioner Flemming recommended that \$10,000 be paid the Nasmyth Company for the Mono Parkway, and it was adopted.

The Kew Beach and Bathgate first-class proposals were passed.

Mr. Fleming reported the transfer of two lots in Broadview-avenue to St. John's Presbyterian Church for \$10,000. Some years ago these were set aside for a church lot on Fizzell-avenue, and was sold to G. R. Henderson for \$500.

INSPECTED SEVERAL SITES

And Decision re Location of S.A. Memorial Will Soon Be Made.

The South African memorial committee, composed of Col. Ryerson, Byron E. Walker, Col. Mason, Hon. J. M. Gibbons, Edith Smith, J. E. Murray, J. F. Ellis and Sydney H. Jones, yesterday afternoon made a tour of inspection of the selected sites for the placing of the memorial, among them several suitable locations in Queen's Park, in the Allan Gardens and the intersection of Yonge and King Streets.

This will probably be the only inspection conducted, and the merits of the respective sites will be fully discussed at a meeting to be held either to-morrow or the early part of next week.

It is Wonderful.

And a night you cannot afford to miss, the \$50,000,000 Exposition, St. Louis, beyond all comparison the largest, finest, and most costly exposition ever held. All the countries of the world are represented. From Toronto take the 8:00 a.m. express, leaving via Grand Trunk, and through Pullman sleeper and vestibule coach to St. Louis, via the International Line, at an 4½ p.m. price, with through Pullman sleeper. Reduced rates allow stop over at Chicago, Detroit and Milwaukee.

Tickets, illustrated literature and further information at City Office, northwest corner King and Yonge Streets.

Imperial Officer Goes.

Melbourne, July 13.—The cabinet of the commonwealth, following the example of the Canadian government, has decided to abolish the post of commandant of the forces on the expiration of General Hutton's term of office, replacing it by an advisory board with an inspector-general.

Will Pay.

The provincial government have authorized the payment for half the cost of construction of concrete sidewalks in front of the S. P. S. on College-Street and King and Queen Streets, across government house, but will do nothing toward the Hoskin-avenue pavement.

Capital Authorized \$2,000,000.00

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CLAIMS FRENCHMAN'S FORTUNE.

Another Case of Mythical Crayford's Looming in France.

Paris, July 13.—A remarkable case, in which George A. Church of Nayatt Point, Rhode Island, is the central figure, is being heard by the tribunal of the Seine. M. Poulot, a wealthy Parisian, died last month, leaving a will, bearing his name, and a sum of money, being among them. It also developed that Cohen had told conflicting stories as to his destination, he having sailed for New York among others. In the meantime the business is being gone on with.

WIFES HAS NOTES FROM HUSBAND'S DEAR TO PROVE UNFAITHFULNESS.

Dr. Chas. G. Stanbury was yesterday morning committed for trial on the charge of non-support preferred by his wife. She was allowed bail on two sureties of \$500. The doctor is young-looking, about 22 years old, and has a youthful appearance. In October, said Stanbury deserted her and went to Cleveland, accompanied by Agnes Melville, a widow, a friend of his wife. Mrs. Melville said she had been allowed \$200 in the last two years. For fourteen years her husband had been on very friendly terms with several young men and had spent much time with them.

She produced a diary written by her husband in shorthand, some of the transcriptions reading: "Saw Maude the 20th"; "No candidates in the field"; "Left for Canada Aug. 4"; "Left for the Conservatives 40". Thirty contestants have both candidates facing each other ready for the fray. As the date approaches the calls will go out for nominating conventions to complete the list.

In all probability William Smith, an Englishman, will be the candidate in the south riding of Ontario. Peter Christie, who was nominated a week ago, having declined to stand. The 20th is the date of the Conservative convention. An effort was made to keep it quiet, but Mr. Smith was the choice of three of the members of the committee.

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